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Two Councillors Resign

Cr. Langshaw Receives Council Post - Cr. Logan Ill Health

Altona Council this week received the resignations of two councillors, one to take up a position as assistant building inspector and the other for health reasons.

Expressing regret that the Councillors were retiring from public office, Shire President, Cr W. Cresser, said they had "really battled for Altona."

He said Cr Logan had borne the brunt of the severance issue. "I am sure I speak for all members of the council when I wish him well," he said.

On the motion of Cr R. Cooper a letter of thanks, under seal of the council, will be sent to both gentlemen.

Mr Langshaw was awarded the position of building inspector from ten applicants, six locals and four from out of the shire.

Following a policy of employing locals where possible, the six local applicants were interviewed last meeting.

Cr Logan was an original member of Altona Shire Council which was elected in May, 1957 when he was the first elected candidate. He was also the first elected candidate when re elected in August, 1959.

MR W. LANGSHAW

Mr Logan entered the municipal sphere as a councillor of Werribee Shire (Altona Riding representative) in August, 1955 and vigorously campaigned for severance which was granted after a poll in 1956.

He was Altona's third president in 1958-59 and represented the Council on the Pre School Infant Welfare Committee and in the Youth Club Hall Management Committee. His term of office wa due to expire

Councillor Langshaw was a member of the original Altona Shire Council which was elected in May, 1957 when he was the fourth elected candidate.

He was re elected to the council when his term of office expired in August, 1958. Mr Langshaw, who has been a resident of Clematis Avenue area for over 12 years, has always displayed keen interest in the development of Altona area and particularly in the Altona North area.

He was Altona Shire's fourth president in 1959/60 and was a member of the Parks and Gardens Committee. His term of office was due to expire in August, 1961.

Elections December 3

Extraordinary council elections will be held on December 3rd to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Crs Logan and Langshaw.

Nomination will close at 4 p.m. on November 15.

Term of office in one case will expire in August 1962 and in the other, August 1961.

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WORKS IN DOUGLAS PDE.

On Tuesday night V. J. Gibbons, of The Highway, made application to council for works in Douglas Parade from Millers Road, attention to open channels in the highway and recommending that land holders be requested to remove long grass to prevent possible fires.

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HOSPITAL CARNIVAL

Readers are reminded that a carnival will be held this Sunday at Langshaw Reserve. Proceeds will go to Altona District Hospital.

Commencing in the early afternoon the programme will include a variety of attractions seuh as trotting, go karts, band items, marching girls etc.

Club Seeks Help

Executive officers of the Altona Working Men's Club attended this week's meeting of council to seek council assistance in either gaining permision to build on land adjoining Kororoit Creek or obtaining land in another area.

President of the club, Mr W. Spence, told council the Standard Vacuum Refining Company had presented an area of land immediately south of Kororoit Creek and east of Millers Road... A restrictive covenant prevented building on this area and the Board of Works has declared it to be a flood area. "I am amazed to learn the Board could dictate to council, I have learned the natural bed of the creek has long since disappeared through neglect and water is now spreading over a wide area," he said.

Mr Spence went on to say membership had now reached 300. He said the club was seeking council's assistance in an appeal to the Board of Works. He stated that a prominent Queen's Counsel had advised them the restrictive covenant could be lifted for the area.

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UNREGISTERED SHOP

At Williamstown Court this week Theodore Stilano, of Lot 727 The Highway, West Newport, was fined £4 for having a shop open for business that was not registered under the Shire of Altona.

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STREET STALL

Baptist Ladies Guild will hold a Street Stall in Pier Street on November 25.

No Path for Former Cr.

An application from a former councillor, Mrs C. McIntyre, for a footpath to be constructed in front of her residence on the Esplanade was rejected by council this week.

Mrs McIntyre offered to pay for the work by way of advance rates, a system used in the case of several subdividers and industries in Altona Shire.

Moving that the application be rejected. Cr S. McIntosh said "it would be unfair to others who are waiting for footpaths and may want to pay for them."

In reply to a question, Building Inspector, Mr R. McLeod, said the block was high and not subject to flooding.

Mr R. Simmons, shire engineer, told council that if the path were constructed, vehicular traffic would be forced out to sea.

Shire Seretary, Mr Waters, then told council that the cost would be £200 and £75 would be recoverable from Mrs McIntyre who was prepared to advance the full £200.

Cr Hearn: If the path were put down what chance is there of erosion?

Mr Simmons: None at all but if it goes down an area will have to be reclaimed out to sea.

Cr McIntosh: I have mixed feelings about this, many people are waiting for roads and paths and I think it would be unfair if we put one ahead of the others. I move we refer it to the estimates..

Donation to Hospital

Australian Carbon Black Co. has donated £250 to the Altona District Hospital for several purposes. It has also offered to present a suitable plaque which the committee has decided to affix to a bed to be known as the Carbon Black bed.

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EGG WEEK

The amazing total of 3,924 eggs valued at £69/10/, has been gathered by Altona school children and donated to the Altona District Hospital on their annual egg week effort.

Schools participating were Altona, Seaholme, Altona East, Seaholme, St Marys. and Altona and Altona North High schools.

Yes Sir!

During discussions on the opening of the Elderly Citizens Centre at this week's meeting of council. Cr J. Ginifer moved that one member of the State Lower House and one member of the Federal Lower House be invited to the ceremony.

Previously it was decided all members of both Houses in Federal and State Parliaments be invited to a Crimes Act protest rally in the park a week before the ceremony.

Pointing this out to councillors, Shire Secretary, Mr J. Waters, suggested this would be anomalous.

Cr Ginifer replied] You have had your say, now I will have mine. It is council policy to invite one from each house and it is a council directive that only those invitations be issued.

At this stage council had not voted on the motion to invite members.

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TECH. SCHOOL STREET STALL

Winner of basket groceries at Altona North Technical School Street Stall was Val Holt, 376 Somerville Road, Footscray.

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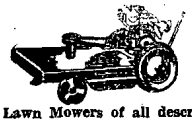

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In the 10-year period under review, consumption of motor spirit rose by 142 per cent. In 1950 each motor vehicle used an average of 352 gallons a year but the current consumption rate is 421 gallons annually.

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MOTORIST COMMITTED FOR TRIAL ON PERJURY CHARGE

A motorist, Michael Erskine, of 39 Bradley Street, Newport, this week faced Williamstown Court charged with committing wilful and corrupt perjury at Newport on April 27.

The charges arose out of a statutory declaration about a lost car number plate, which later was found not to be lost but used on Erskine's car.

Constable F. Leslie, of Newport, said that on June 11 he was on duty in Oakbank St., Newport, when he saw Erskine driving a car with a number plate, JJ-865. on the rear.

On July 15 he interviewed defendant at Newport police station and asked him if the car he had seen him driving the month before was registered Erskine replied that it was not and the constable told him he had seen the number plate on the rear.

Erskine then said he was instructed to hand in the number plates when the registration expired in 1959, but said he only handed in one, as he had lost the other in an accident. He was then shown a statutory declaration and he admitted signing it.

On July 21 witness said he saw Erskine and the car concerned and took possession of the number plate on the rear of the car. He asked Erskine how long he had had the plate and he replied ever since he had owned the car and that he had never lost it.

Constable G. Hyde, of Newport, said he was in the police station when Erskine came in on April 27, and handed in one number plate. He had asked him where the other number plate was and Erskine said he had lost it in an accident. He then asked defendant to make a statutory declaration, which he did and signed.

Erskine pleaded not guilty to the charge and will be committed for trial at the Court of Petty Sessions at sitting on 1st December, 1960, and was given bail of £50.

UNLICENSED DRIVER FINED £25

At Williamstown Court this week James Costa, of 35 Speight Street, Newport, was fined £15 for travelling at 56-60 mph in a 30 mph zone in Douglas Pde., Williamstown, on June 30.

Costa was also fined £10 for driving without a licence.

Constable Forrest told the Court that he had followed defendant and clocked his speed. When he asked Costa for his licence he said he had left it at home. He was told to produce it at Newport police station

Constable Hicks said he had interviewed Costa on July 17 and had asked him why he had not produced his licence and Costa had said he did not hold one.

MAN GIVEN £50 BOND

Ian Rex Crawford, of 2 Farnsworth Street, Sunshine, was charged this week at Williamstown Court with being deemed to be a rogue and vagabond.

It was alleged Crawford had exposed himself in a public place, in the Esplanade, Altona.

The case was adjourned by Mr R. Prowse, SM, to May 6 and defendant was put on a bond of £50 to appear at the court on that date and be of good behaviour.

PERMISSION GRANTED FOR LICENCE APPLICATION

Charles Edward Beecham, of 166 Melbourne Road, North Williamstown, was given permission by Williamstown Court this week to apply to have his licence restored.

MOTORIST FACES TWO DRIVING CHARGES

Andrew Callander, 11 White Street, Footscray, was fined £10 for driving without a licence and £20 for overtaking in an unsafe manner, with £3 costs.

Joseph Mannic, of Bayswater, told Williamstown Court that he was driving his taxi in Melbourne Road on July 23. He saw two buses pulling out of a bay when a car came from the other direction on the wrong side of the road. The car forced him over and collided with his taxi. The other vehicle kept going for about 60 yards and he chased it on foot.

Peter Sellon, of 30 James Street, Williamstown, said he was a passenger in the taxi and saw a car coming in the opposite direction straight at them. The taxi driver tried to avoid it but the other car collided with them.

Constable W. Peasnell said he went to the scene of the accident and spoke to defendant who said he had kept going until he came to a garage where he could leave his car.

When asked to produce his licence Callendar said he had left it home and was told to take it to Footscray police station.

Callendar told the constable he was overtaking a car and must have misjudged the space and collided with the taxi.

Constable Clarke, of Footscray, said he interviewed defendant on August 26 and asked him why he had not produced his licence as requested. Callender said he did not have one and had not had a licence for five years.

Lifesavers

The monthly executive meeting was held in the club house on Tuesday, Mr H. Edwards presiding. Present were representatives of St John Ambulance Brigade and the Altona Youth Club. A joint committee was formed to conduct the carnival which it is proposed to hold from December 21 until 8th January 1961.

Mr H. Edwards was elected chairman, Mr Ralph secretary, Mr G. Sheriffs assistant secretary, Mr T. McGarry treasurer, Mr R. Hazeldine assistant treasurer, Committee: Mrs Rowan. Mrs Woodcock, Mrs Oram, Miss J. Smith Messrs Hyde Watson Smith Jobling and Probert.

A further meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 15 when it is hoped to make further plans for what promises to be a very successful effort.

GOLDEN CIRCLE

Winners this week were:
1 Mrs J. Henstridge No 56.
2 Mr T. Gray No 216
3 Miss F. Pentreath No 203

Jackpot: Mrs G. Heath 173.

Consolation prizes to M. Stasha 106. Mrs McManus 141, Mrs Gray 219 Mr R. Peddar 186.

TRAINING SCHEDULE

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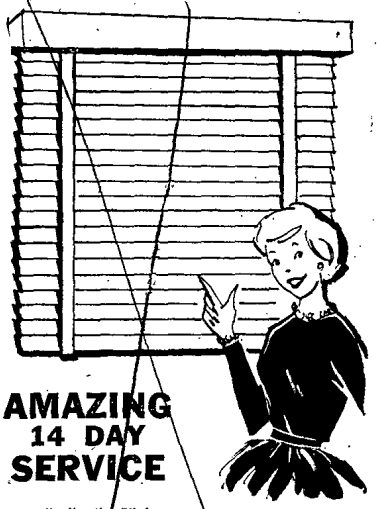

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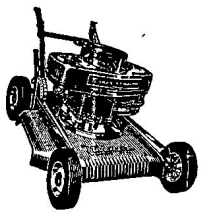

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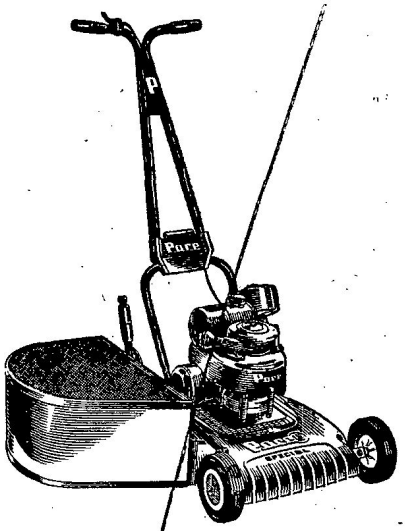

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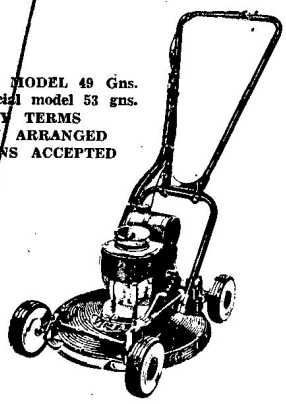

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Extraordinary Elections 3/12/60
NOMINATIONS

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Election of one councillor for the Shire of Altona will be held on Saturday, the 3rd December, 1960, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of

REGINALD LOGAN
(The term of office will expire in August 1962)

Every candidate at such election must be nominated before 4 p.m. on Tuesday 15th November, 1960, by delivery, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m on office days, to the Returning Officer, James William Waters, Shire Secretary, or his deputy, William Tulloch Inglis, of a nomination paper in accordance with the provisions of the Local Government Acts.

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JAMES W. WATERS,
Returning Officer

SHIRE OF ALTONA
LOAN No 14
SPECIAL ORDER TO BORROW

Take notice that the following motion was adopted at the meeting of the council of the Shire of Altona on Tuesday, 8th November, 1960.

"THAT the Council proceeds to make a special order by resolving 'THAT the Council borrows from the Commonwealth Savings Bank the sum of Thirty five thousand pounds on the credit of the municipal revenues of the President, Councillors and Ratepayers of the said Shire, such sum to be raised by the grant of a mortgage in accordance with the provisions of the Local Government Act, 1958.

1 The rate of interest to be paid is 5½ per ent per annum.

2 The purposes for which the loan is to be applied are:

Part cost of completion of buildings:

Elderly Citizens £2300
Infant Welfare Centres £3000
Nellie Street Depot £5000
Altona North Hall £5100
Construction of Queen Street, Altona £14.000.
Construction of Esplanade, Altona £5,600.
Total £35,000

3 The period of the loan shall be ten years.

4 The moneys borrowed shall be repayable by providing out of the municipal fund 20 half yearly instalments of approximately £2298/10/3 each including principal and interest on the first day of June and the first day of December during the currency of the loan. The first instalment shall be payable on the first day of June, 1961.

5 Such moneys shall be repayable at the Commonwealth Trading Bank of Australia, Melbourne.

and that the confirmation of this order be made an Order of the Day for an Ordinary Meeting of the Council to be held at 7.330 p.m. on Tuesday, 13th December, 1960.

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HINTS FOR MOTORISTS

HOW EFFICIENT ARE YOUR SHOCK ABSORBERS ?

Although a shock absorber can be tested accurately on a special machine, an idea of its performance may be had by forcing down the front or rear bumper on a car then releasing it. The car should not bounce more than 1½ times after the bumper is released. If the shock absorber is disconnected it should be possible to operate it manually throughout its stroke. The resistance should feel consistent throughout the up and down strokes. Comparison with a new shock absorber, however, will be misleading, because the new one will be stiffer than normal.

DAMAGED GREASE NIPPLES

If the head of a grease nipple is slightly damaged, the grease escapes instead of penetrating the bearing. A simple emergency remedy is to place one thickness of rag between grease-gun nozzle and the nipple. This will prevent leakage, but the grease will be forced through the rag. Always wipe nipples clean before applying the grease gun.

TIPS FOR SCREWS

Having trouble starting some awkward little screws. There are two methods to be recommended. One is to impale the point on a strip of paper which point hold th screw until started, other is to slip a short rubber and then is torn away. The driver so that the end of the tube over the tip of the screw tube projects slightly beyond the tip. The head of the screw can then be held in the end of the tube.

FALSE ECONOMY ADDS TO MOTORING COSTS

Motoring need not be expensive, a fact proven by the ever increasing number of cars on Australian roads. If your car is costing too much to run, it may be that your preconceived ideas of cheap motoring are, in reality false economy.

The Petroleum Information Bureau (Australia) suggests that the cheapest plan for motorists whose annual mileages are in the higher bracket (say 25,000) is to buy a medium-sized car new and sell it again before considerable renewals, such as tyres and rings, become necessary.

Provided you have purchased one of the popular makes with good resale value, you will have obtained good service for the amount per mile that depreciation has cost. More important maintenance charges will have been kept at a minimum.

Whether annual mileage is great or small, however, the purchaser should choose a car suitable for the type of driving required and the load carried. An overloaded car costs more to run.

Study the resale values and if you want cheaper motoring avoid those new cars which show excessive depreciation.

This loss hits hardest at the owner who buys a new car and travels only about 5000 miles a year. He must be prepared to retain that vehicle for at least five years to avoid excessive costs per mile. Generally a used car will be his best buy.

Most small, economy cars command a high secondhand price, so the used car buyer who does only a small mileage each year, should consider carefully whether a large model secondhand may not cost him less in the long run because of its relatively low price. As he does not travel a great mileage, economy will not be such an important factor.

Neglected maintenance, irregular servicing and constant exposure to the elements all add to motoring costs. Paint, tyres and upholstery become damaged and exposure often ends in serious structural rusting.

Regular cleaning is essential for the preservation of a vehicle even if it is garaged.

as rectification of oil leaks or compression loss often leads to more extensive damage to the brakes or engine valves, and inevitably greater expense.

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JUNIOR TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS

Lawn Tennis Association of Victoria sought council co-operation on Tuesday night in the conduct of the municipal junior championships during the coming season.

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Council referred the matter to Altona Tennis Club.

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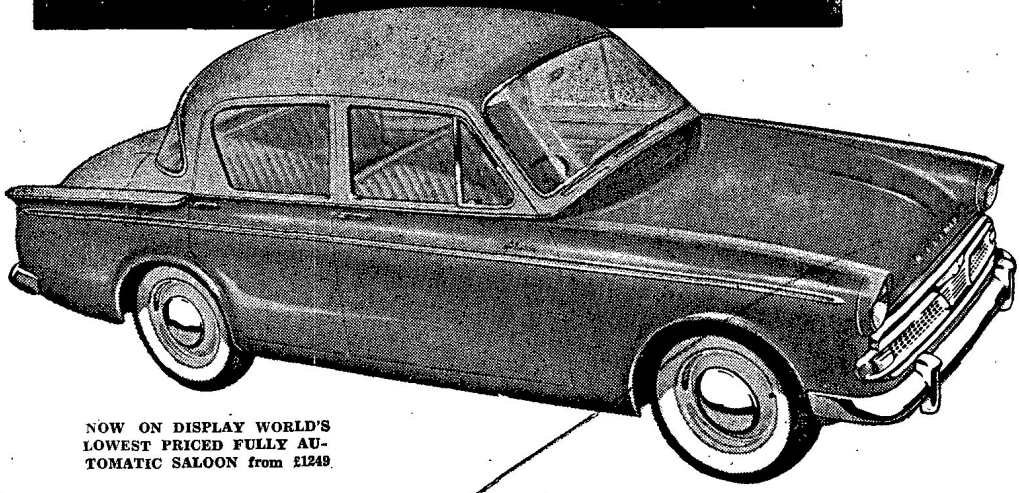

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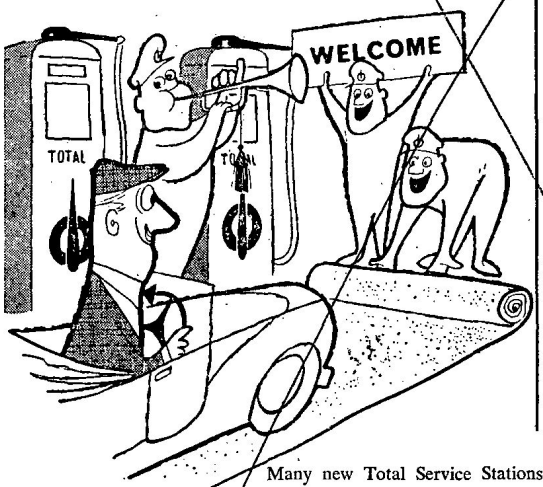

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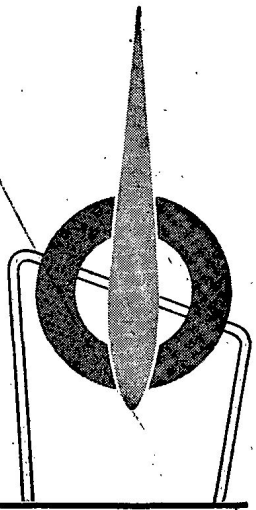

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Engineer's Report

Shire engineer Mr R. Simmons reported to Tuesday night's meeting of council:

Nellie Street, Pier Street to Romawi Street, Private Street Scheme: Construction of kerbs and channels was completed; construction of path on south side is in progress. Spreading of fine rock almost complete; the roadway is being prepared for cement stabilising.

Maidstone Street Reconstruction: The section of Maidstone Street between Blyth Street and Wren Street was surfaced with bituminous macadam by Albion Quarrying Co.

Prentice Street and Hobson Street Private Street Scheme: Construction of paths was completed in both Prentice and Hobson Streets. Excavation of the roadway in Prentice Streets is in progress.

Esplanade; Bayview Street to Pier Street: Tenders have been called for the supply and spreading of sheet asphalt. Details will be submitted at the meeting. (Albion Quarry, £6/5/- 320 tons.)

Millers Road Bridge: Three concrete test piles were driven near the southern end of the proposed bridge where drilling had indicated a satisfactory foundation might not be possible. The piles were driven to a satisfactory refusal and will be incorporated in the final structure.

Drainage, Altona North: Open drains were excavated in Fifth Avenue, between the Highway and a point south of Hendren Avenue and in Seventh Avenue between Blackshaws Road and May Street.

Plant, Trucks: Tenders have been called for the supply of two tip trucks to replace two existing units. (2 Bedfords).

Tennis Courts, Grant Reserve Quotations have been sought for the construction of two tennis courts adjacent to the existing courts on Grant Reserve. Details will be submitted at the meeting. Nettlefolds en tout cas included in estimation £786.

Plan of Subdivision. L. C. Noordenne: A Plan of Subdivision of approximately 31 acres of land at the north west corner of Millers Road and Nellie Street has been submitted by Mr L. C. Noordenne. The plan provides for seven shop sites fronting Nellie Street, a service station site at the corner of Millers Road and Nellie Street, 158 housing sites and an area of 3.1 acres for Council purposes. Mr Noordenne desires to develop the area in three stages commencing at Millers Road and working westwards.

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UNLICENSED DRIVER FINED

At Williamstown Court this week James Thomas Kneale, of 32 Tait Street, Newport, was fined £5 for driving a motor car in Kororoit Creek Road. on July 29 without a licence.

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CYCLIST FINED

Andrea Leriar, of 64 Dover Road, Williamstown, was fined £2 for riding a bicycle without having a front light and £1 for effective brakes, and £1 for not no rear light when apprehended on September 23.

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Amalgamated Engineering Union Altona Branch

Members please take note that your next Branch Meeting is on Monday. November 14, at 8 pm in Church of England Hall, Queen Street. Members of all other branches will be welcome. The Crimes Act concerns you. Support your Union to defeat this attack on your freedom.

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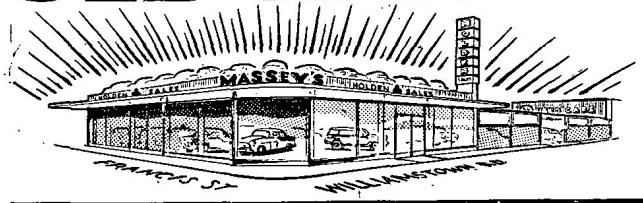

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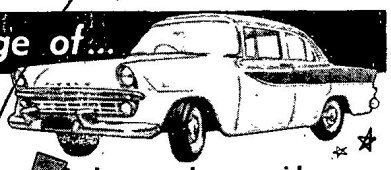

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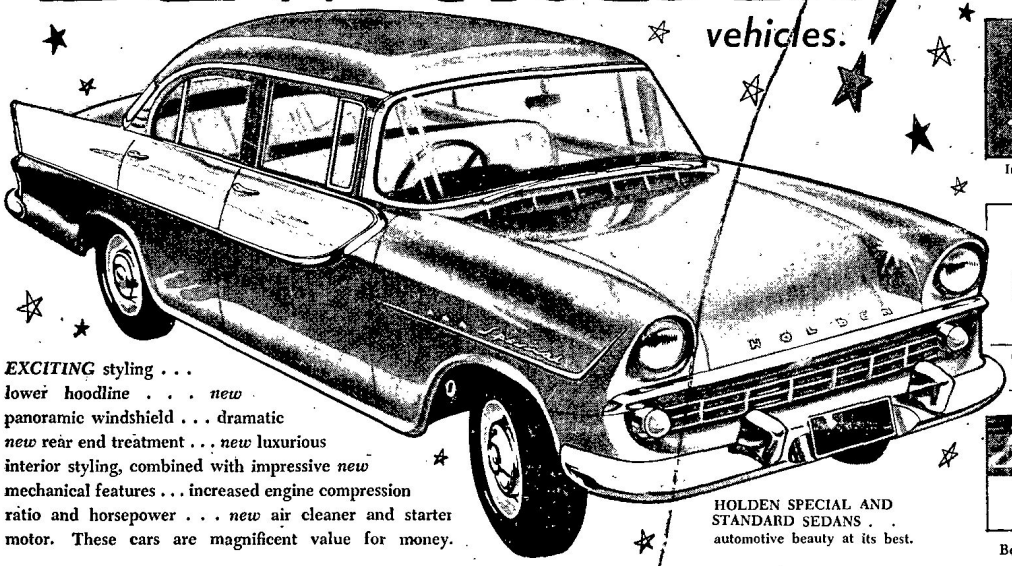

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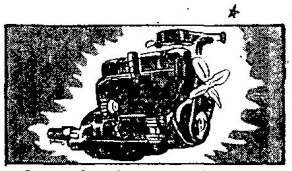

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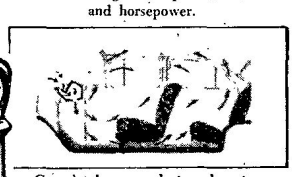

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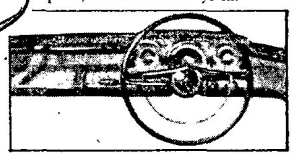

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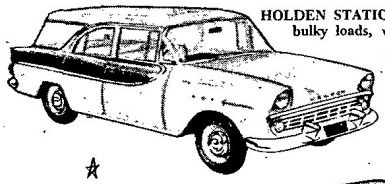

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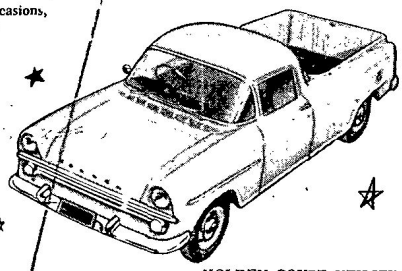

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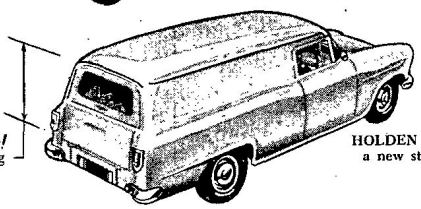

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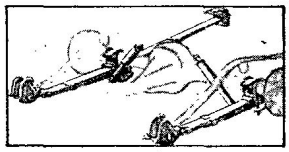

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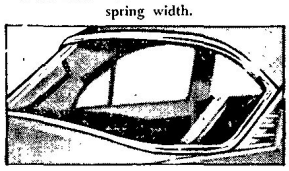

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Local Council Business

Paisley and District Progress Association. in a letter to Tuesday night's meeting of Council, stated that this association was in no way connected with any other organisation which takes credit for representing this area.

The association recommended to council that a committee of management be elected to plan and manage the four acre reserve in Ronald Avenue.

Other recommendations which were adopted by council were that owners of unimproved property in this area be made to take their share of responsibility and that white lines be painted on Millers Road from the refinery to the beach.

The council has advised the association that the council is its own committee of management for all its reserves but it willing to lease such to any satisfactory organisation or sporting body to conduct such during the summer or winter seasons.

FIRE AND SNAKE HAZARD

In a letter to council on Tuesday night, Miss Bertha Schimmelbusch, of 13 Mulga Street, drew the council's attention to the fire and snake hazard on the lengthy building blocks facing Blyth and Wren Street.

Council will attend to the matter.

RAYNER STREET RESIDENT AMAZED

Mr A. Kingston of 32 Rayner Street informed council that "he was amazed that the council should deliberately construct a safety hazard to adults and a death trap to children, in parts the water is over 2 feet deep."

He was objecting to the type of drainage trench which had been dug in Rayner Street and which had caused him personal accident.

FULL SERVICES OF LOST DOGS HOME

On Tuesday night council accepted an offer from the Lost Dogs Home for its full services on a contract basis. The cost is 10/6 per 100 of population per annum. Quarterly account will be £17/14/6.

In the past the council has been hiring the Lost Dogs Home cart from time to time and has been paying for the service when used. The quarterly service will cost the same as the present charges which have been provided for in the estimates.

THANKS FOR DONATIONS

The Council has received letters of thanks from the head teachers of all Altona schools and Williamstown High School for donations for scholarships. Each of these schools has been advised that this will be the last year of scholarships. Next year they will be replaced by an allocation of £5 per 100 pupils of Altona schools for library purposes.

TRAMWAYS BUS VIA MILLERS ROAD

Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board has advised council that it will re examine the matter of operating a bus service from Geelong Road to Altona.

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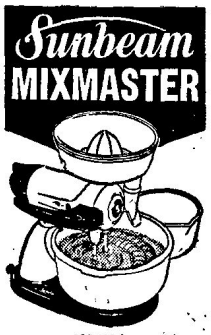

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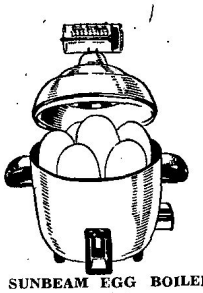

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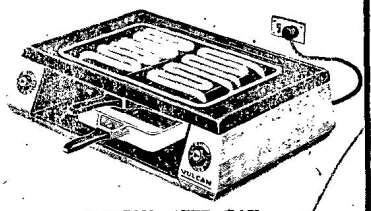

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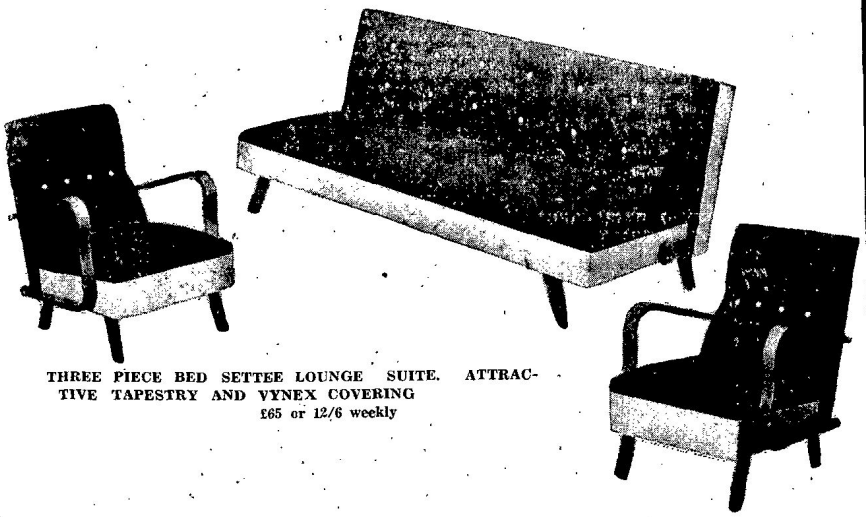

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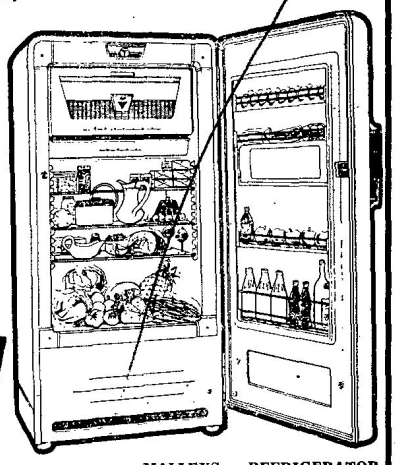

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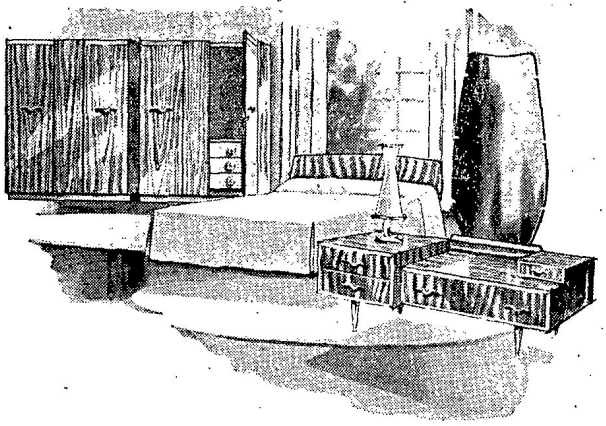

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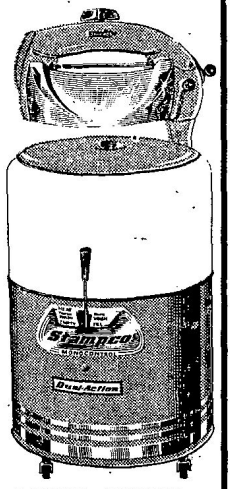

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Retirement and it's Problems

By R. and W. FRAZER

This is why the wise person approaching the age of retirement will endeavor to prepare for it by cultivating the kinds of interest, friendships and associations which can be continued when the retiring age has been reached. The person who has actually retired and who finds the new leisure empty and boring should consciously try to create new interests, hobbies and personal associations.

It is most noticeable, and the findings of geriatric specialists emphasise this fact, that idleness is not good for the elderly. Employment of mind and body in pursuits appropriate to the age and health of the individual is an important factor in staying well.

A well-known physician said only recently that, "The youngest and healthiest old people are those who can play." The doctor went on to list some of the leisure occupations which he regarded as "play." An interest maintained in a particular hobby, such as gardening, music, bowls, fishing, watching the children or grand-children at their sports.

He quoted the instance of Sir Winston Churchill and his painting and writing, and one can think of many other notable persons who have used their leisure time to do things for which, in the days of intensive employment that had little time.

It is of great importance to happy and healthy retirement that it be regarded, not merely as empty of work, but as an opportunity to indulge in whatever interests the person concerned.

One very well-known Australian, when asked how he viewed the prospect of retirement said "For over fifty years I have been working at what I had to do; I am now planning to do the things I want to do, and they are many."

There we have the healthy attitude; it regards the new-found and well-earned leisure as *an opportunity for self-expression.*

So much for the psychological aspect of this retirement-phase of life.

Another aspect of it which is important to health is concerned with nutrition.

It is common for the person no longer required to perform regular work to become careless regarding regular meals and nutritional requirements of the body. It must be clearly understood, that while these food requirements of the elderly are, in some respects, less than those of actively employed younger persons, there is still the need for maintaining the proper level of nutrition to supply the body with warmth and energy. Very broadly speaking, it can be said that in respect of the amount of food required by the elderly person, it approximates 75 per cent. of the needs of a young and active person. However, in respect of some elements of nutrition, increased age not only does not reduce the need but may increase it.

One very common factor in Australian communities is referred to as dental inadequacy." Generally this means either faulty natural teeth, lack of denfures or dentures which do not fit properly. It is just as essential for elderly persons as it is for others that their food be properly chewed and often a visit to a dentist is the first step towards improved mattication, digestion and better health.

Another factor commonly *resulting in faulty nutrition* is lack of interest in correct diet. It must be emphasised that an elderly person must maintain a reasonable balance in the basic food elements, the proteins such as meat, eggs and cheese, the fats such as milk and butter or vegetable oils, and the carbohydrate foods.

Furthermore the vitamin and mineral elements must continue to be supplied in regular and sufficient daily amounts. Fresh foods such as the vegetables and *fruits should be taken* daily.

In other words all the elements of nutrition must be supplied at all ages.

A preparation known as GERIPLEX is available and meets a common need in this matter of nutrition of the elderly. Usually an improvement in general health accompanies the use of Geriplex which is in the form of easily swallowed capsules. Another result too has been noted in connection with the use of this Geriplex formula is that it helps to promote unbroken sleep.

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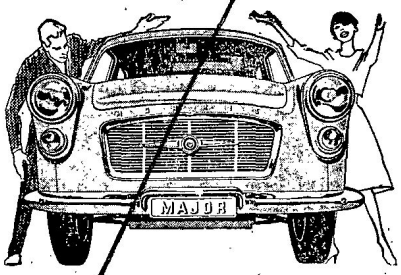

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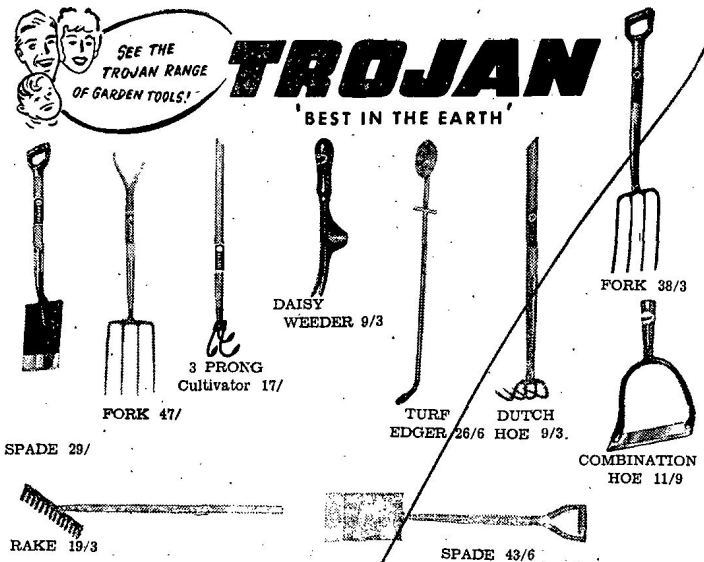

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A Reserve v Power Street at home: Mallett, Trickey, Parkinson. Neale, Adcock, Haigh. Emergencies Walker, Campbell.

C grade v Williamstown away: Noonan, Walsh, Gurrie, Edwards, Marlow, Gadsen. Emergencies Kelly Eranca.

Championships

11 a.m. Parkinson and Parkinson v Johnston and Adcock.

1 p.m. Walker and Haigh v Edwards and Edwards.

2 p.m. Winner of 11 am v Campbell and Neale.

4 p.m. Campbell v Parkinson

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KOORINGAL GOLF

Last Saturday's bogey medal resulted in a tie between R. Don and K. Griffiths each 3 down. A play off will be decided this week.

"C" grade trophy went to B. Fowler four down.

Saturday's open amateur tournament was won by R. Judd.

The senior and junior handicap sections went to two Kooringal members, W. Taylor and P. Jacobsen.

Final round of the mixed foursomes championship will be played Sunday commencing at noon.

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MORE WATER

In an interesting commentary the Shire President. Cr Cresser, who is also Altona's member on thes MMBW, said Board statistics show that in 1934 more water had come down Kororoit Creek than the Yarra river.

Cr Cresser said the Board had written to the Railways Commissioners to have the line raised to allow drainage of the swamp under Millers Road and straight to sea. The difficulty is there is only a fall of eighteen inches in half a mile.

Speaking to a deputation from the Working Men's Club he said:
he stated.

"I will be happy to take a deputation to the Sewerage Committee. Believe me we are doing everything possible to help you," he said.

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STALL

A stall will be conducted at 74 Rose Street at 2 p.m. Proceeds will go to the Spastic Centre.

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FURTHER TAXI LICENSE?

T. J. Smith of 67 Clematis Avenue has informed council that he agrees with the need for provision of additional taxis and asked that he be considered for a further taxi license for Altona area.

WOMENS CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION

Altona branch of the WCTU will hold a picnic at Warrandyte next Wednesday. November 16. Special bus leaves Maidstone Street at 9.30 and will pick up along Blyth Street.
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PUBLIC NOTICE

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THANKS

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